



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants

: Eric R. George

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For

NANOCOMPOSITE REINFORCED POLYMER

BLEND AND METHOD FOR BLENDING THEREOF

Group Art Unit: 1772

Examiner

Walter Aughenbaugh

AMENDMENT

July 8, 2003

Trenton, New Jersey

Mail Stop Fee Amendment **Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of March 13, 2003, the time to respond which expires June 13,

2003, and the one month extended time within which to respond which expires July 13, 2003, applicants amend the above-identified application as follows: